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**READ EXTRACTS** from a report of examination recently made by John F. Roche, F. A. S., Consulting Actuary of New York, under the auspices of the New Mexico and Texas Insurance Departments, which appears on page two.

Modesty prompts us to make no further reference to the report as it speaks for itself.

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## SOLDIERS HAVE ENOUGH FOOD AND CLOTHES

Committee is Prepared for Assembling of Extraordinary Session of Congress Next Month.

Signs in Evening Herald.  
Washington, D. C., March 29.—Unrested soldier is being shown off on General G. A. Abshier, quartermaster general of the Army, for the misery amount in which the troops now exist. Mexican border were mobilized together with the impediments affecting the care and comfort of 20,000 men. The ability which characterized the transportation of the troops to continue and determine of the men, the movement of supplies, with necessary stores for a three month campaign, proved in a short time that the strength of the men had been increased above what he became quartermaster general that transports excess of his strength of the service depended upon the cooperation of the departmental quartermasters and those in charge of quartermasters depots rather than having everything covered in Washington, or assuming office. General Abshier imagined a radical reform by calling upon all his subordinates for an inventory of stock on hand and the needs of the several departments to increase their efficiency. As a result of systematic efforts the quartermaster general was enabled to prepare a bond of quartermasters stores and their several locations. When orders came to include the troops to march along the Rio Grande it was but a matter of a few hours to get everything in readiness to move as he knew exactly by consulting the "little red book" where particular supplies were to be had and the amount on hand. The months spent in preparing this most comprehensive invention have been justified and natural General Abshier is elated over the complete success of despatching.

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## GREAT NATIONAL RESERVOIR FOR HIGHWAY IS POSSIBLE

Globe Newspaper Has Alleged "Pipe," Which Would Be the Real Dope if it Were Only True.

Several Counties in Arizona Following Lead of New Mexico Counties, Go in Strong for Good Roads.

Globe, Ariz., March 29.—Much interest is being manifested in several counties in Arizona as the result of the recent agitation for the construction of good roads in the territory which will connect up with the roads now being built in New Mexico and Colorado, and which will at no great future form links in the great national highway.

The present climate of opinion is just now building itself with good roads projects, the greater of which is that before the building of a great scenic roadway between the Atlantic and Pacific, traversing the territory of Arizona below San Francisco mountain, taking in the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, Phoenix, Kingman, Needles and to Los Angeles. Part of this roadway has been built from a point near Lawrenceburg, Kan., to Santa Fe, N. M. By a general survey of the route through the western portion of New Mexico, and with the aid of that territory enlisted in the project, the road could be carried on across the country through one of the grandest sections of the world. The main line of highway could be kept in as straight a line as possible to get the proper gradients, while all the main points along the line could be reached by short lines of roadways.

The proposition of a national highway has long been mooted by the people of the southwest, and in fact by the people throughout the region for which the proposed roadway is to be constructed. It has been held that in times of war the roadway would be of tremendous value to the government.

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The Republican majority of the house of the sixty-first congress having been changed into a minority in the sixty-second congress, the question of the minority leadership of the party rises conspicuously and gravely for the first time in sixteen years. In the fifty-second congress, when the Democrats had captured the house, Speaker Thomas B. Reed was accorded the leadership without question. This time it is evident that former Speaker Cannon will have opposition if it is undertaken to make him the minority leader. This is manifest from the discussion of other house Republicans for the post. Among those mentioned with more or less insistence are Representatives James J. Cannon of Illinois and Martin G. Oliphant of Pennsylvania.

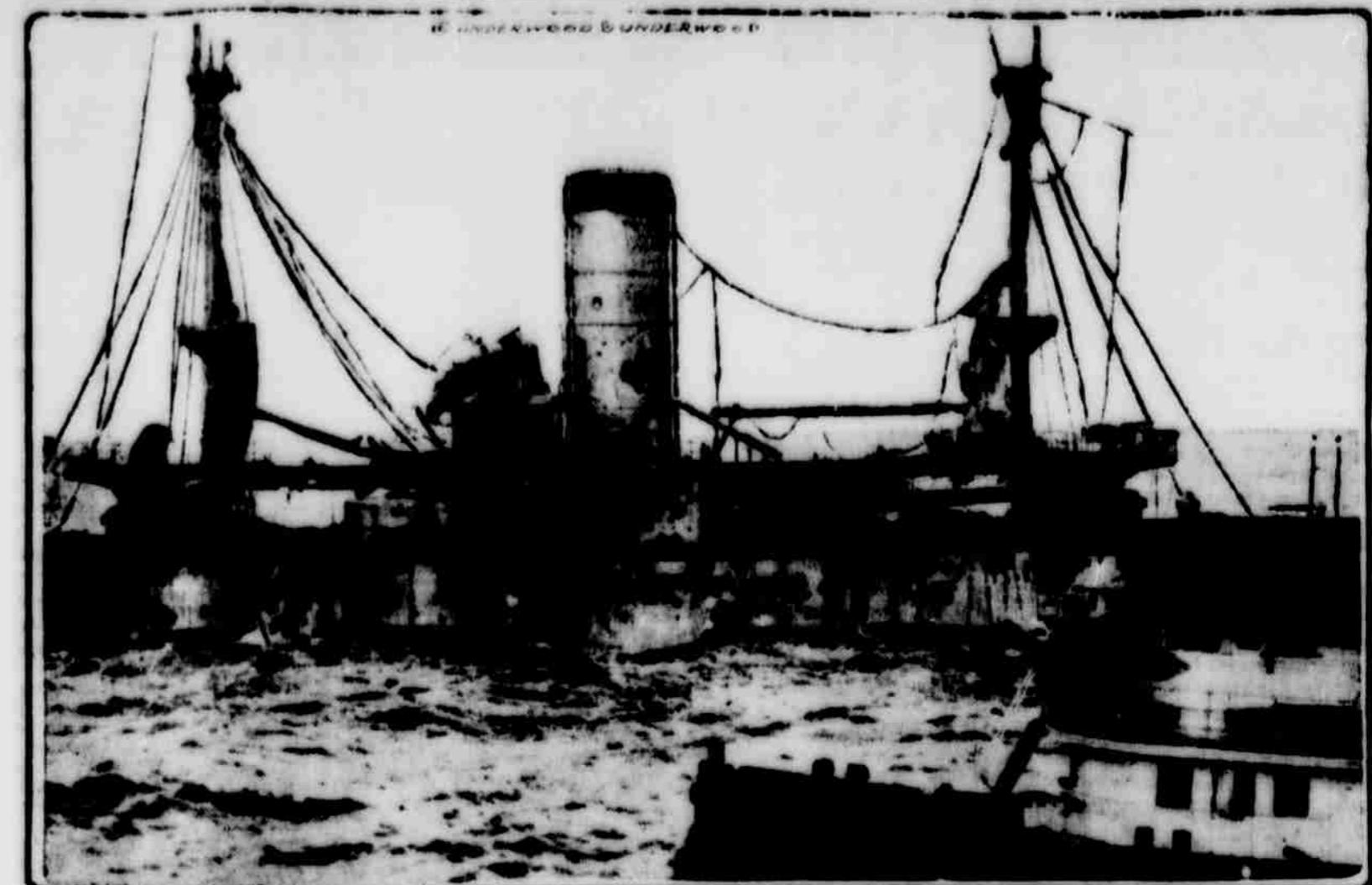
It is just possible that Ex-Speaker Cannon will solve the problem by declining to be a candidate, in which event it is thought Representative Mann will be selected.

There was one happy man at the penitentiary yesterday and his name is George Van Vollenburg. He had served two years for receiving stolen goods and larceny and was sentenced in Chaves county. He finished his

### Discharged.

Husband—Did the cook you hired show up?

Wife—No. Wasn't it fortunate? Another one rang our bell by mistake looking for Mrs. Gillett next door and I kept her instead.—Harper's Bazaar.



THE BATTLESHIP TEXAS, FROM A REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN ABOARD A TUG.

## HAPPENINGS IN THE CAPITAL

Territorial Penitentiary Doing Good Business These Days: Many Prisoners Being Received.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 29.—Governor Mills has appointed Atanacio Rial of Pecos, San Miguel county, a notary public.

**Letter From Mr. Clark.**  
Chief Clerk Edgar F. Aspinwall of the department of education has received a second letter from Superintendent Clark about his tour. He writes under date of March 27.

As soon as we could get ready this morning Mr. Schubert and I started out from Wagon Mound and visited the schools at Laramie, Arapahoe, Springer at noon. Immediately after luncheon we went to the reform school there that's the name! The best state legislature must change the name to the state Industrial School.

The school has forty employees. The superintendent, the assistant superintendent, the director of farm work and the school teacher. The regular school work has been confined in a brick building located near the main building but this work has now closed and the boys are working the farm. There are 39 boys assigned here now from 9 to 17 years of age.

"The school owns only 26 acres of land but the boys are working about 100 acres of leased land. It will be remembered that this school is located in the old court house which was abandoned about fifteen years ago when the county seat was removed to Raton. The building has been repaired and is quite satisfactory for the accommodation of the 39 boys, as far as dormitory, mess room, kitchen, etc., are concerned but there is no room for the necessary manual training equipment which must be provided by the next legislature.

"Certain boys are assigned to the kitchen and are required to do the cooking, dish washing, etc. A special square car for the dormitory, another does the laundry work. The great majority of the boys work the land of course.

Every Sunday afternoon, Sunday school is held in the school room and at every opportunity addresses are given before the school. Daily papers are kept from the boys but they are informed as to important, helpful current news.

"Select books are provided, and helpful magazines are available in certain magazines and books are not admitted.

"For over two and a half hours Superintendent Sanchez and I visited the Springer public schools. Four teachers are employed with Principal E. Bonner at the head. Grade work through the ninth is carried on under the following assignment:

Miss Ellis, first; Miss Reynolds, second and third; Miss Edmonson, fourth, fifth and sixth; R. C. Bonney, seventh, eighth and ninth.

"We saw especially good work in the intermediate grades under Miss Reynolds and Miss Edmonson; their discipline is good; their instruction definite and their management excellent."

**More Prisoners.**

The following prisoners were brought to the penitentiary to serve sentences imposed by Judge Parker:

Matteo Rial, 2 to 3 years, and 1 to 4 years, and fine in each case also \$400, larceny of cattle. Juan Moran, 4 to 5 years assault with intent to kill; Edward Baker, 3 to 4 years, forgery, Perfecto Rodriguez, 1 to 2 years, burglary and larceny; Narciso Gutierrez, 1 to 3 years, larceny of a horse; Valentino Gutierrez, 1 to 2 years, drawing and discharging a deadly weapon; Alejandro Pena, 2 to 4 years, larceny; Camillo Gonzales, 5 years.

**Wanted in Arizona.**

A dispatch from Phoenix, Ariz., says:

"On the application of W. P. Geary, district attorney of Navajo county and Joseph F. Woods, sheriff of the same county, yesterday to serve sentence imposed by Judge Parker:

Matteo Rial, 2 to 3 years, and 1 to 4 years, and fine in each case also \$400, larceny of cattle. Juan Moran, 4 to 5 years assault with intent to kill;

J. L. Gibson, sentenced from Eddy county for six months to one year, for unlawfully entering a railroad car.

Edwards Martinez, sentenced from Coconino county, for one year to two years for larceny of cattle.

Jose Cordova, sentenced from Coconino county, for one to two years for larceny of cattle.

J. L. Gibson, sentenced from Eddy county for six months to one year, for unlawfully entering a railroad car.

Edwards Martinez, sentenced from Coconino county, for one year to two years for larceny of cattle.

James Ryan, sentenced from Grant county, for one to three years for larceny.

Alberto Arellano, sentenced from Bernalillo county, for one year to two years, for assault with intent to kill.

Eduardo Martinez, sentenced from Coconino county, for three years, for burglary.

Clemente Najar, sentenced from Bernalillo county, for three years, for assault with intent to kill.

Alberto Alvarez quevano, sentenced from Grant county, for two to three years for forgery.

James Ryan, sentenced from Grant county, for one to three years for larceny.

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